## SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF VENTURA VENTURA

## MINUTE ORDER

DATE: 12/23/2015 TIME: 01:30:00 PM DEPT: 43

JUDICIAL OFFICER PRESIDING: Kevin DeNoce

CLERK: Tiffany Froedge REPORTER/ERM: Diana Solis

CASE NO: **56-2014-00458073-CU-AS-VTA**CASE TITLE: **Robert Denyer vs AB Electrolux** 

**EVENT TYPE**: Jury Trial (LC)

## **APPEARANCES**

Stephen M. Fishback, counsel, present for Plaintiff(s). Bruce Nye, counsel, present for Defendant(s) telephonically. Gary D Sharp, counsel, present for Defendant(s). ANN I PARK, counsel, present for Defendant(s).

At 1:51 p.m., court convenes in this matter with all parties present as previously indicated.

Court and counsel discuss scheduling of juror hardships and the use of the questionnaire. Juror hardships are tentatively 1/5/16 and 1/6/15 and maybe 1/7/15. Counsel to return on 1/8/16 with the filled out questionnaires for voir dire.

Plaintiff is to provide the court 85 questionnaires by 1/4/16. Plaintiff is to copy the questionnaires and provide them to counsel. Plaintiff states will provide a scanned copy to counsel.

Ms. Park states that there are stipulations to Defense Motions In Limine 1, 5, 11, 17, and 26.

Stipulation and Order Re Decedent's Medical Expenses (MIL No. 11) filed by Bell Industries, Inc.

Stipulation and Order Re Plaintiff's Agreement Not to Introduce Evidence or Argument Regarding the EPA's 1989 Proposed Ban on Asbestos Products Which Never Went Into Effect (MIL No. 26) filed by Bell Industries, Inc.

Stipulation and Order Re Predisclosure of Witnesses and Documents to Be Introduced at Trial (MIL No. 17) filed by Bell Industries, Inc.

Stipulation and Order Re Plaintiffs' Agreement Not to Introduce Evidence Or Argument that Decedent

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was Exposed to Asbestos While Employed by Bell (MIL No. 5) filed by Bell Industries, Inc.

Stipulation and Order Re Bifurcation of Trial Re Punitive Damages (MIL No. 1) filed by Bell Industries, Inc.

Plaintiff motion in limine Number 1 is submitted to the Court with argument and is denied.

Mr. Denyer's statement in medical report doesn't come in substantively at this point. May be discussed further at a later date.

Defendant motion in limine Number 2 is submitted to the Court with argument and is tentatively denied. Counsel to further brief Kennemur issue..

Defendant motion in limine Number 12 is submitted to the Court with argument and is granted as to name only, not opinion.

3:34 p.m. Court is in recess.

Off the record, Court and counsel discuss scheduling.

3:55 p.m. Court reconvenes with plaintiff(s), defendant(s) and counsel present as noted above.

Court and counsel agree that Defense Motions In Limine 4, 8, 18, 34, 35 a 402 hearing is required.

Off the record, the Court gives tentative rulings on the following Defense Motions In Limine:

6. Granted in part/denied in part.

7. Granted

Counsel state that Defense Motions In Limine can be deferred: 3, 13, 21, 25

The following Defense Motions In Limine are withdrawn: 14, 15, 16, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33.

4:35 p.m. Court is adjourned until 01/05/2016 at 10:00 AM in Department 43.

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